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Applicant: ROSSI Art Unit: 1633
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Title: PRODUCTION OF CULTURED HUMAN MAST CELLS AND
BASOPHILS FOR HIGH THROUGHPUT SMALL MOLECULE DRUG
DISCOVERY

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

Sir:

Applicant has carefully considered the final Office Action mailed August 22, 2005 in connection with the above-captioned application and request reconsideration of the claims in light of the amendments and remarks herein.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begin on page 2. Remarks begin on page 4.